

# The Fort Sumner Review

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\$1 A YEAR, CASH.

## Our Invitation

Once each week we pay for this space for the privilege only of inviting you once again to become a depositor of our bank.

The person who reads about us fifty-two times a year ought to know us at least fifty-two times better than if he had read of us but once. The better he knows us the more likely he is to like us and our business methods. Your account, large or small, is urgently solicited and respectfully invited.

**The First National Bank,**  
of Fort Sumner, N. M.

## Kemp Lumber Co.

FOR ALL KINDS OF

**Building Material,  
Paints and  
Builders Hardware  
"Prices Right."**

Harry W. NAYLOR, Local Manager.

## EARICKSON & Co.

SUCCESSORS TO

**A. B. HARRIS.**

FORT SUMNER, N. M.  
DEALERS IN

**Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes,**

**Gent's Furnishing Goods,**

**Furniture, Hardware,**

**Groceries, Hay and Feed,**

**Farming Implements and Wagons,**

We have just received a NEW and COMPLETE

line of LADIES and GENTS FURNISHINGS.

**OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT.**

## SUNNYSIDE TIN SHOP

WATER TANKS, GUTTERING, WELL CASING, FLUES and STOVE PIPE  
MADE TO ORDER.

WINDMILL WORK "A SPECIALITY."

Agent for the Celebrated "ANN ARBOR" Gasoline Lights.  
J. A. NORTHINGTON, Prop.

## LOCALETTES

Mrs. C. O. Garver returned Thursday from Princeville, Ills.

Blankenship & Co. have Eclipse wind mills and outfits.

A. P. Anaya has been attending to legal business in Portales this week.

Just received a car load of wire at Blankenship & Co's.

Celedon and Anatasio Trujillo have been attending court the best part of the week at Portales.

Eighty Acres of patented land, ten miles south-east of town for sale. C. W. FOOR.

Rev. James Brown, Presbyterian minister will hold services in the school house Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and 8 o'clock p. m. All are cordially invited.

The Albuquerque Daily Tribune can be had at the Sunnyside Drug Co. Five cents per copy.

Arch Bishop Pitval will hold Confirmation services here on September 30th, and at Manuel Abreu's, old Fort Sumner, on September 31st.

By taking a dose or two of Bees Laxative Cough Syrup, you will get prompt relief from a cough or cold. It gently moves the bowels, heals irritation of the throat and stops the cough. It is pleasant to take. Sold by Sunnyside Drug Co.

C. D. Smith is erecting a store building alongside of his second hand store.

Section 1555 C. L. 1897 as amended, require all children between the ages of seven and fourteen years to attend the public schools during the entire term, under a penalty of not less than five dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars, where there is no legal excuse. It is made the duty of the District attorney to prosecute delinquent parents and guardians. Parents should read the posted notices or the statutes on this subject.

The switch board and phones arrived Friday and Manager Ackerman is the busiest man in town and says the Hello business will pick up next week.

When you have piles don't fail to use Man-Zan, the great pile remedy. The only way to cure this annoying trouble is to apply something that will act on all parts affected. That is what Man-Zan does. It is put up in a tube with nozzle attached. Sold by Sunnyside Drug Co.

Manuel Abreu was up from old Fort Sumner this week mixing with his friends.

There is nothing better we know of for all kidney troubles than Pineules. These pills are really excellent in cases of weak back and backache, pains in the neck of the bladder, rheumatic pains and kindred ailments, due to weakened, disordered kidneys. Sold by Sunnyside Drug Co.

The Public School opened Monday, the 6th. Miss Blanchard is Principal and Mrs. Fannie Highsmith and Miss Albanita Page as assistants. Altogether 120 pupils have been enrolled, and the school starts off in good shape and it is to be hoped will be a successful term; much depends, however, upon the cooperation of the patrons of the school in keeping up regular attendance and interest.

Since Lieutenant Peary and Dr. Cook have gotten into a dispute as to who really discovered the North Pole it may be neces-

sary for the Fort Sumner Commercial Club to send an expedition up there to determine the respective claims of these distinguished explorers. Perhaps we may wait until Dr. Cook gives us his scientific observations at the pole and learn from Lieut. Peary how he made forty miles a day in the polar ice. These pointers would be of great service to our expedition.

Blankenship & Co's. General Merchandise store was broken into and about \$75.00 worth of goods stolen last Sunday afternoon. Tom Dunn, "Pig" Womack and Yandell Coker were arrested and brought before J. A. Perkins and given an examination. Dunn was held for the Grand Jury, while the Womack and Coker boys were dealt with gently in the hope that their parents will take better care of them in the future than in the past.

This town should be incorporated and suitable ordinances passed that would afford better protection to the people of this place. The necessities for incorporation continue to increase and it is to be hoped that a majority of the people will be anxious to incorporate. There is always a class of people, however, who oppose incorporation of towns; in fact they stand ready at all times to oppose law and order in any and all its forms as it often interferes with their business.

Announcement is hereby given that the monument of Sovereign Solon McMillan will be unveiled at La Lande Cemetery on Sunday September 19, 1909, at 3:00 o'clock p. m.

All members of Sunnyside Camp No. 68, are requested to meet at Katz Mercantile Co's. store at 12 o'clock noon, sharp, to go to La Lande.

A. J. Gilliam, Consul Com.

Secretary Commercial Club.

Ft. Sumner, N. M.

My Dear Sir:

We have received the nice basket of "Gem" cantaloupes which came yesterday by express, addressed to the editor of this paper. We wish to thank you for this delicious treat, and we hasten to assure you that we find the specimens sent, fully up to the standard, if not superior, so far as our experience with this fruit is concerned.

If there is anything that the Daily Journal can do for Fort Sumner's "Melon Day", you have only to ask this of us. We stand for your great rich country no less than for our little city here and its surrounding district.

We congratulate Ft Sumner people for their great resources.

Very truly yours,  
Clovis Daily Journal,  
per. T. J. Mabry, editor.

A large basket full of cantaloupes, Gem cantaloupes, to be more exact, reached the editorial office of the Santa Fe New Mexican that with the following characteristic letter from the Fort Sumner Commercial Club: Editor Santa Fe New Mexican, Santa Fe, N. M.

Dear Sir:—These are a few samples of what we are raising under irrigation. Taste 'em, please. The basket contains sixty juicy mouthfuls—you owe the Fort Sumner Commercial Club sixty pleasant thoughts.

Your truly,

L. C. Van Hecke,  
Secretary.

## CIRCUS DAY and MELON DAY IN FORT SUMNER ONE DAY ONLY

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 1st.**

## CAMPBELL BROTHERS CONSOLIDATED SHOWS

Circus, Museum, Menagerie, Hippodrome

**CIRCUS and MELON DAY**

**ONE BIG TIME**

|                                   |                                  |     |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----|
| 500                               | Finest Horses on Earth           | 500 |
| 42                                | Double Length Railway Cars       | 42  |
| 20                                | World's Famous Bare Back Riders  | 20  |
| 40                                | European and American Aerialists | 40  |
| 30                                | Lady and Gentlemen Acrobats      | 30  |
| 20                                | Happy Jolly Funny Clowns         | 20  |
| 17                                | Performing Elephants             | 17  |
| Double Menagerie Hippodrome Races |                                  |     |
| 700                               | PEOPLE ALL TOGETHER              | 700 |

### SPECIAL FEATURE

### THE MARVELOUS RENELLO

Will positively appear at each performance,  
Turning a complete somersault on a bicycle  
**WHILE LEAPING THE GAP**

One price of admission takes you all the way through.  
Two performances daily—rain or shine. Afternoon show 2 p. m.; night show, 8 p. m. Doors open one hour earlier.

**BIG STREET PARADE 10:30 A. M.**

**Excursions on all Railroads  
SPECIAL RATES.**

The cantaloupes are as good and better than any Rocky Ford ever sent down here and give an inkling of what the crop will be when the Fort Sumner irrigation project becomes a reality. Cantaloupes will then mean thousands if not millions of dollars to Fort Sumner.—Santa Fe New Mexican

October 1st will be a big day in Fort Sumner. Through the efforts of the Commercial Club the great circus known as Campbell Brother's Shows has a great show here on Melon Day.

The management of the show had planned to stop their 26 cars of troupe and menagerie (?) here for feeding but were induced to show when they were advised that it could be done simultaneously with Melon Day.

The show is a big one and carries a troupe almost as large as our population. The exceptionally low rates given by the Santa Fe coupled with this gigantic double celebration will mean a crowd of at least 3,000 people in Fort Sumner on the first day of October.

The population of the entire cut-off will pour in here and the doubters will be given an opportunity to satisfy themselves that Fort Sumner really has a lake wait until they see the elephants bathe. Those who longed for a chance to see for themselves what irrigation will do for a New Mexican community can come now and at a rate that everyone can afford.

All roads will lead to Fort Sumner on the day of the big double celebration. Let every man in town make it his duty to see that at least ten, and, better still, make it a hundred, of your friends are advised. Watch for the Melon Day advertising, watch for the Circus advertising, keep posted and tell all your friends.

The famous Campbell Brothers Consolidated Shows have reached a point in the development of circus entertainment where there is no competition. The aim of the Campbell Brothers, is to always have new features and their efforts in this line this season surpass all other attempts. No time, trouble nor expense have been spared and with a corps of assistants they been busy buying new material, animals, and engaging artists in every line till now they have to offer to the public an exhibition surpassing all previous efforts. They will exhibit here on Friday, October 1st.

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